INNOVATION FUND TINY GRANT AWARD WINNERS
JUNE 2019

School District	**Bibb County School District**
School	**Weaver Middle School**
Project Name	**Weaver Middle School Social Emotional Learning**
Priority Area	Blended & Personalized Learning
Amount Funded	$6,550.00
Description of Project	Weaver Middle School will create and implement a Positive Behavior Academy for 49 at-risk students. Using a personalized learning program called Ripple Effects, students will learn and incorporate strategies to help them cope with their emotions and practice self-regulation. Students will meet with their mentor once a week to analyze progress toward their individualized goals.

School District	**Dade County Schools**
School	**Dade Elementary School**
Project Name	**Summer Reading Survival Kits**
Priority Area	Birth through Age Eight Language & Literacy Development
Amount Funded	$7,000.00
Description of Project	Pre-Kindergarten through second grade students at Dade County Schools will receive summer reading kits. These kits will contain five grade-appropriate books, a book light, a bookmark, a timer, and a plush "book buddy." By providing students with access to quality reading materials, Dade County Schools aims to beat the summer slide by maintaining and/or increasing students' current reading levels for the following school year.

School District	**Effingham County Schools**
School	**Effingham County Middle School**
Project Name	**Increase Student Literacy Through NoRedInk**
Priority Area	Blended & Personalized Learning
Amount Funded	$7,000.00
Description of Project	Effingham County Middle School will implement a blended and personalized learning program, NoRedInk, in order to increase students' language and literacy skills. NoRedInk will allow teachers to implement an interest-driven curriculum, view students' individual data trends in real time, and meet the needs of all students.